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From: Forrest, Sabrina
Sent: Tue 8/11/2015 4:58:50 PM
Subject: Re: root cause - did you see this article?

Are Libby and Rich on board? We know we were trying to do the right thing, but we had a major mishap...

From: Lane, Jennifer
Sent: Tuesday, August 11, 2015 10:35 AM
To: Forrest, Sabrina
Subject: RE: root cause - did you see this article?

Good idea but I want to make sure I am not stepping on any toes first . . . Sierra Club is also a good idea. I also liked the Washington Post story. We need a Barbara Walters-style interview about this stuff since so many people get their news from TV.

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I can't, but would it be okay for you to contact Jonathan Thompson? He likely knows the opinion leaders. The Washington Post article was also a fairer representation and could have ties to others. Since I got the Washington Post article from a Sierra Club

person in Pueblo, perhaps Sierra Club folks in Dgo.???

From: Lane, Jennifer
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Great, I am copying you on a suggestion to our press folks to refer him to national media. Can you think of any locally-based (Silverton, Durango) opinion leaders who share his perspective? Need to hear from these folks on a national level!

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I did. I tend to like that author's articles. He knows the area issues pretty well.

From: Lane, Jennifer
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<http://www.hcn.org/articles/when-our-river-turned-orange-animas-river-spill>

Sabrina, this appears to be one of the best articles so far based on my knowledge. Do you agree? I am recommending that our media officers try to get national media to talk with this author. Can you think of anyone from Silverton or Durango who would share this perspective but who is credible/ respected that we could try to get to talk?

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